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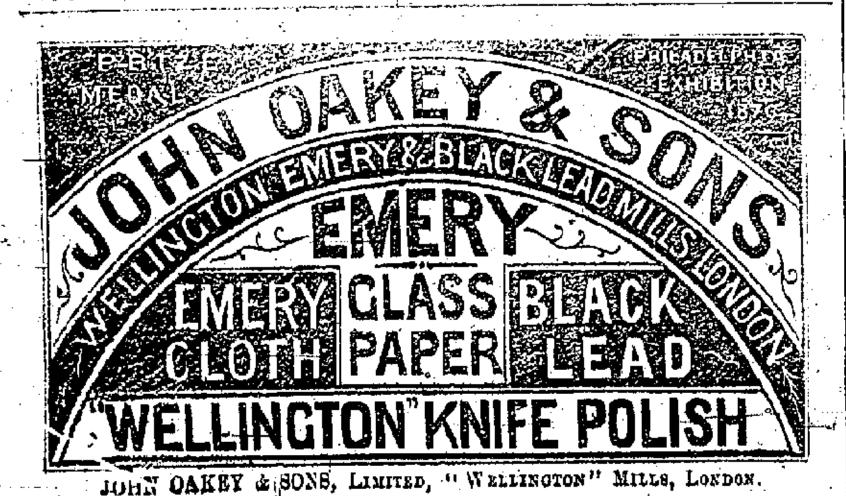
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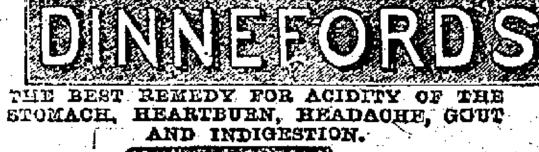


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their weekly share report, dated Hongkong, Friday, 22nd July, state :-Business has not been very brick since our last issue, but the tone of the market has ruled much firmer and most stocks have experienced an advance, notably Hongkong and Shanghai Banks : Hongkong and Whampon Docks; Hongkong, Canton and Macso Steamboats; and Indo Uhinas. The Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dyeing Company, Limited, has given notice that the second instalment of Banks. - Hongkong and Shanghai, Banks

\$30 per share is due on the 18th proximo. have improved their position considerably, and since the result, of the half-year's carnings became known, the chares have advanced to 2101 per cent. premium. At the close, however, the market is somewhat quieter with a few sellors at 215 por cont. premium. For Decomber, business has been effected at 330 and 235 per cent. premium. The Directors propose to pay a dividend for the half year of £1. 5s. per share, place \$1,000,000 to a sdit of reserve fund, write nd Bank proporty \$250,000, and darry about 2389,000 forward. The London quotation

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Refineries.—China Sugare have ruled quiet with sales at \$109) and \$100. Inzods are enquired for in small lots at \$38. Mining.-Punjons are still in demand at \$51. Raubs have been placed at \$351 and \$35, and close with sellers at the latter rate. Jelobus have been sold in small parcels at \$3.80. Olivers B. have been sold at \$3.75 and \$3.85. New Balmorals have changed hande at 40 conts and 50 conts for the Ordinary and Preference respectively. Docks, Wharves and Godowns .- Hongkong and Whampon Dooks have improved their position and have been done to a fair extent at 250, 251, 252 and 253 per cent. premium, and close in demand at 255%. Kowloon Wharf shares remain quiet but stoady at \$60. Wanchais have been placed

Lands, Hole's and Buildings, -Hongkong Lands are offering from the North at 870. Hongkong Hotels have changed hands and are wanted at \$52. China Providents have been dealt in at 80 and 80. Hum. phreys' Estate have found buyers at 38. Cotton Mills.—Unchanged.

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LOSS OF THE P. & O. STEAMER 'GANGES' BY FIRE.

Rombey, July 1st,-The Garges, was lying off Carneo Bunder when the fire broke LIMITED, out. A strong wind prevailing at the time favoured the flames, and in a little while the whole vessel from stem to stern was abbase. Two of the water boats of the 9,000,(0) Company were alongside almost immediate.
6,660,000 ly, and brought their pumps into play.
Shortly afterwards the Port Trust dredger, with the most powerful pumps in Bombay was also alongside, pouring in tons of water, but all their efforts were unavailing. Despite the valuable assistance afforded by the Port Trust, the vessel was completely gutted. When it was found that there was no possibility of stemming the ravages of the flames, it was decided to beach the vessel, and, with this end in view, she was Parr's Bank, Limited,
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On Control Stock Dank, Limited, taken off Elephanta and run ashere. She now lies on her beam, a ruined mass, without the slightest possibility of her ever being used again. Only the funnel can be seen on deck; the rest of the deck humper, including the cabins, bridge, etc., has been ontivally decreased. entiroly destroyed.

THE STEWARDESS BURNT TO DEATH." The stewardess, Mrs Atkins, we regret to say, was burnt to death, and some of On fixed deposits for 3 months, 3% per her charged remains were brought ashere at 11:30 a.m. A few charred bones were all that remained. There was no cargo on

> MORE PARTICULARS. A little after half-past 2 o'clock in the morning, Quartermaster Holmes, who was on duty on deck at the time, saw smoke issuing from the companion ladder, and at once aroused the Chief Officer, who was usleep in the music room. Everyone en the ship was soon alive to the perils of the position. Mr Lee at once had the pumps got to work, and a determined attempt was made to get the flames under control. It was evident, however, that either the fire had originated in some peculiarly combustible material, or had obtained a secure footing before its presence was discovered, for, despite all efforts to drown it, it spread at a great rate. The Captain had some explosives jottisoned.

News of the outbreak having spread,-Captain Mathews' tug 'Princess,' which was lying off Ballard Pier, being the first to observe the fire-bely began to arrive from various quarters. Mr Newell, Superintendent of the P. & O. Dockyard at Mazagon, despatched the Company's floating fire engine thence. The Port Trust engine was also on the scene, and the Police too, lent their aid. As far as saving the ship was concerned, however, all these willing workors could effect little or, nothing. Fanned C. Bourmann, Esq. R. L. Richardson, by a stiff breeze the fire continued to gain ground fast, and soon was raging in the whole of the midship portion of the vessel. Water was poured in as fast as the pumps could work, but to no visible purpose. ABANDONMENT OF THE VESSEL.

It gradually came to be realised that the old 'Ganges' would have to be abandoned. All the silver and other valuables on board were deposited in a small steamer, the Bandora, which was lying alongside This was all that could be saved; the Officers thus losing the bulk of their effects. The final decision to quit the jehip was not taken until the fire had burst through the main deck and attacked the Captain's cabin, a deckhouse on the upper deck.

DEBARKATION OF THE CREW. There were a number of craft of various descriptions at hand, and Captain Mathews, knowing that the ships boats could not be launched, had ordered all tonics lying near Ballard Pier to the vicinity of the barning steamer, so there was no great difficulty in effecting a debarkation, although so large a portion of the vessel was by this time given over to the flames.

REMOVAL TO THE HARBOUR. The Port Trust ongine, possessing pumps of enormous strength and capable of throwing a large volume of water, and other steamers pla ed vigorously on the fire, but, as they were still unsuccessful in get-INTEREST on deposits in allowed at ting at the heart of it, a decision had to be come to as to what should be done with the steamer. It was feared that if she was Sewree to Green Island, where the 'Qanges' grounded in about eighteen feet of water. The Harbout Master, with a number of men in the service of the Port Trust, remained by to acales the crow until the tire was finally subdued.

THE DEATH OF THE STEWARD TO. The late of the Stewardesh, Mrs Atkind, up to this time was not definitely known She occupied a value on the part aids of the main deck, and several attempts were made by the chip's officers to reach her, but, on account of the deuse smoke and the near, ners of the Hames, this was impossible. About 9 v'clock the fire on the Ganges' was so far subdued that Mr Mephail and Mr Sibbald, of the Princess, went on board, but the he t was so great that it was impossible to get further than the boiler. house. Subsequently the Chief Stoward, Mr Harpour, recovered a few tharred bones, which was all that remained of the 1 to Stewardess, from the cabin. is surmised that, whon the alarm of fire was given, Mrs Atkins opened her cabin door, and was driven back by the rush of smoke. She was probably almost immediately suffocated by the fumes, and whether she attempted to escape by the port hole is purely a matter of conjecture; the florceness of the blaze in her cabin is indicated by the fact that there was scarces ly a double handful of charred fragments of appeared, and only a portion of the hipbone indicated the character of the relice. These, when recovered, were placed in a small box and removed to a room in the

Bombay, July 3:—At the inquest on the stewardess who was burnt to death in the Recons the steamer Ganges, Robert George
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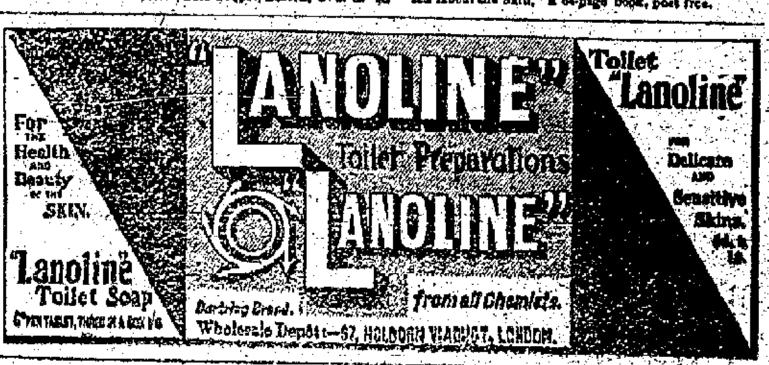
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Homeward Bound:--Manila, Wally, Tencer, June 3; Mencheus, Lennox, Monmouthshire, 7: Formosa, 13; Antenor, 21 : Preussen, 24 ; Canton, Thelda, 28 Levs, July 1; Condia, 5; Malacca, 12; Pyrrhins, Sachsen, Yarra, 19.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s. s. Empress of China left Vancouver for Hongkong, via usual ports of Call, on Monday afternoon, the 11th July.

e Imp. German Mail s. s. Prinz Hein! with the GERMAN MAIL of the 27th June, left Singapore on Thursday, the 21st July, at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about. Tuesday, the 26th July.

Steamers Expected. The E. A. Co. s.s. Malaya, from Copenhagen; Hamburg and Antwerp, may be considered due here on or about the The-H. A. L. str. Accedia, from Ham-

burg, left Singapore for this port on the 20th July, and may be expected here on or about the 26th July. The s. s. Carmarthenshire, from Middlesand London, left Singapore of

the 19th July, and is due here on or

about the 26th July. The N. Y. K. s.s. Yamashiro Marn, le Nagasaki, for this port of 22nd July, and is expected to arrive here on the

The s. s. Eba i will leave Singapore for bere (from London) on Thursday, 21st The s. s. Remos, from New York, left

Singapore on the 21st July and is due here on or about the 28th July. The N. Y. K. s. s. Kinshin left Kobe, via Moji, for this port on the 22nd July, and is expected to arrive here

on the 29th ${
m July}_{*}$ The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Olympia has arrived at Yokohama, from Taconra, and sails on the 21st July, for Kobe and Hong-

The N. G. I. s. s. Lelimbro left Bombay for this port on the 19th July, and may be expected here on or about the St. Jerome, from Middles-

Jan', Rotterdam and Antwerp, passed the Canal on the 12th July, and is expected to arrive at Singapore on or about the 3rd August. The N. P. Côl's s. s. Columbia sailed from

Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the $20 \mathrm{th}~\mathrm{July.}$

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gow and Liverpool, left Singapore, for this port on the afternoon of 2nd July, and may be expected here on or "about the 28th July, The s. s. Indracelli left Singapore on the 24d July for this port.

CHURCH SERVICES.

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Matins :- Responses, Ferial; Vehite, Novello; Psalms, Camidge, Kinken and Travers ; To Doum, Woodward, Smart and Turle; Benedictus, Barnby in F Author. Lord of all power and might, Mason; Hymn, 7; Offertory

Eventong :- Eve of St. James' Day .-Responses, Tallis; Psaling, Fitzherbert, Nares, Rimbault and Hindle Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis, Bruce Steam in F; Hymns, 418, 217 and

UNION, CHURCH. -SUNDAY, JULY 24, 11 a.m.: - Hymns, 210, 386 and 407 (Tune 498); Psalm, 95, Jones; Anthem, 46, C. C. Hymnal, 'Q Worship the Lordy' Voluntaries, Spohrand Wely, "i p.m.; -Hymns, 69, 375, 358, 343 and 404; Voluntaries, Novello and Forbes.

Ar the Magistracy to-day, Mr Van Epps bharged his book with leaving his employ without giving due notice, and also with using abusive and insulting language, and the menial was fined \$20.

dear before the departure of the Douglas steamer Haitan for Amoy yesterday, a quarrel took place amongst a number of the Chinese passengers for a particular berth on the ship, and one of the Chinese produced a knife and seriously wounded threeof his fellow-passengers. He then stabbed himself with the knife. Ho was ultimately secured, and the Police removed the four wounded men to the Government Civil Hospital.

Eccene Bernheim, the manager, of Mesers Ullmann and Co., and a clerk in the employ of the firm, were charged at the Magistracy to-day, at the instance of Detective Inspector Moffatt, with selling on the premises of the firm at 74 Queen's Read Central, an indecent exhibition. On information reto the shop and obtained thereby on 21st July one of the articles, for which 810 were paid. On the following day, a Chinaman bought another one for \$8 The

he had undermined.

YESTERDAY, an excise officer swore an information against a Chinaman for having a large quantity of prepared opium without certificate. The officer went to the house of the Chinaman and found only two mace of opium for which the owner had a cers tificate. The excise officer, enjaged at being duped, charged the Chinaman at the Magistracy to day with selling the opium, but could not produce his informer. Commander Hastings imposed a fine of \$25 for bringing a false charge.

A NUMBER of ladies in the Colony having expressed a desire to see a game of water polo played, the V.R.C. has arranged an exhibition game between selected teams of members, to take place at their enclosure on Thursday next. It has been arranged to engage a steam launch for the accommodation of the ladies, who are cordially J. H. Hance. invited to attend. Non-members of the V.R.C. will be charged 50 cents for admission and hoys 25 cents. It is probable also that a team race will be arranged to take place immediately prior to the polo

THREE unruly stokers of H.M.S. Humber named Thomas Wyatt, John Forrester and Frederick Cook, appeared before Commander Hastings, at the Magistracy to-day, charged with unlawfully behaving in a disorderly manner in the public street and damaging a ricksha to the extent of \$2 Evidence was given that last night about eleven o'clock the three defendants engaged rickshas and drove to a wharf at Praya East, The second defendant refused to pay his fare, and the three men then set upon the coolie and chased him along the street. They returned to the wherf and lifting up to forty-two days' imprisonment, with hard the ricksha banged it down on the street, breaking the axle and the hood. A Chinese constable who interfered was assaulted. The constable blow his whistle, and one of the defendants snatched it away and knocked off the constable's hat. The three defendants threw down the constable, and were only prevented from continuing the assault by the intervention of Mr H. W. Wolfe, who came to assist the constable. Sergeant Scott then came up and took the blue ackets to the Station. Commander Hastings fined the first and second prisoners \$5 each, with the option of fourteen days' hard labour, for the assault upon the coolie, and the third prisoner \$3, or fourteen days' imprisonment. They were each ordered to pay the coolie \$2 compensation. For the assault upon the Police, the first prisoner was fined \$7, or twenty-eight days' imprisonment, with hard labour; the second, \$5, or fourteen days; and the third \$3 or fourteen days, and each of the prisoners was ordered to pay \$1 compensation to the constable.

On the occasion of the anniversary of the battle of Salamanca (22nd July, 1812), the band and drummers of the King's Own Regiment give a military tattoo to the Hongkong Cricket Club Ground, A portion of the ground was reserved for the tattoo by a body of military police, and seats That the arrangement of these matters These men are fully equipped for the field were provided for a number of the spectators. The band of the regiment played an excellent programme of music. At halfpast nine o'clock, the tattoo commenced in a slight shower of rain. A body of lamps bearers, headed by the drum and fife band, marched from the Parade Ground, and the men moved into appointed positions several paces apare round the received space, making a very effective display. The massed bands then assembled in frontof the position occupied by H. E. Major-General Black and party, where the buglers sounded the First Post.' To an English march 'English Songs' the band marched, accompanied by lamp-bearers, and an exceedingly pretty manœuvre was the advance of the band through the extended lines of the drums and fifes. A similar movement was made by drums and fifes in the Irish March Tara's Halls, Scotland had another grievance in the attempt of the band to swamp the Scottish representatives with the Welsh March, Men of Harlech, but our three pipers refused to be yanquished and cut short the glory of the Men of Harlech with the shrill shrick of Piper. Findlater's melody on Dargai Heights, 'Cock o' the North.' They appeared quite determined to impress the tane upon the rigorous playing in front of our Scottish General. The March of the Men of Harlesh' then proceeded, and the combined bands gave a beautiful rendering of

Treverbar, a coolie named Li Yau, engag- We give to night the concluding portion of "ed clearing away some earth from the hill the article on the Philippines, by Mr John near Kennedy's stables, Causeway Bay, was Foreman, F.R.G.S., which appears in crushed to death by a huge boulder which the Contemporary Review of July 1st-from advance proofs supplied to us by the

> Ma Ng Kwai Shang, of the Magistracy, has received a letter from Mrs Wedehouse. thanking the staff of the Magistracy for the gold brooch she had received as a souyenir of the many years she had spent in Hongkong. Mrs Wodehouse states that Mr Wodehouse's health has been very satisfactory since his arrival home.

On Monday a Water Pole League competition will take place at the V. R. C., between the V. R. C. No. 1 team and the V. R. C. No. 2 team. Teams :- No. 1.-Goal, Henderson : Backs, Carvalho and Meek; Half-back, A. E. Alves; Forwards, Armstrong, A. A. Alves, and Stopani (Capt.) No. 2 -Goal, Klinck; Backs, Pereira and Yule; Half-back, F. Lammert (Capt.) Forwards, Herbst, Millar and

most outrageous assault was committed upon a Chinaman on Thursday night on board as junk in the harbour. In company with a foki, at 10 p.m. on July 21, the complainant went out for a walk. The two men then went on board a sampan to row over to a junk belonging to a friend. mistake the complainant boarded another junk, and was immediately seized by two men, besten, dragged to the stern where he was bound with a rope, his hands behind his back, and his head dragged back and made fast to the rudder head. A Chinese policeman who boarded the vessel next morning at half-past four o'clock found the man tied up in this manner. The two men on the boat were arrested and charged at the Magistracy to-day with assault. They explained they thought the man was robber. The two prisoners were sentenced

FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That the position at the Philippines (o rather, at Munils, for the Philippine Islands is a big country) seems to be almost unclininged.

That the developments proceed slowly. the Americans are making sure of their ground, and the Revolutionaries are closing in upon Manila and going on towards a Provisional Government. hat if peace be declared before the city of

Manila is captured, or is surrendered, the situation will become complicated. That the great distinction between Cuba and Manila appears to me to be this, that the United States went to war to relieve Cuba and Amorica from the anarchical condition of chaos in which that island had been for years; while the descent on the Philippines was purely a warlike reprisal, in which the hitherto unsuccess. ful Filipinos were called in as againtante. hat General Aguinaldo, while considering well to carefully mark the signs of the times, and the possibility that any undue yet succeeded in doing.

That I may say, for what it is worth, the policy of the Revolutionary General so

list the organisation by Agninaldo of a not tend to anything but the maintenance of order and fair government. should not present any insuperable difficulty, so long as Aguinaldo recognisos the advantages of a strong Protectorate, for two reasons—for the successful ad-

protection from outside Powers. Manila are concerned, there ought to be no great trouble in establishing an American Protectorate, with Aguinaldo and his

ministration of the Islands, and for their

officers as side. That outside of that aphere the troubles may drise, and it is just possible (I do not say probable) the Americans may get tired of the task.

Iliat. as British trade interests are paramount, and Great Britain has still some claims to be heard regarding a reasonable solution of the question, a joint protectorate might be arranged between the United States and the Old Country. tariffs could be satisfactorily settled. That little light has been lot in on the Kowloon City Reservation since my reference, and the sketch map published

in the Times gives no indication of the reservation. That the exceedingly deliberate manner in which the British Authorities proceed in such matters, however, will be seen when we consider that Mr Stewart Lockhart's report cannot reach London much before the heginning of November, and its consideration at Home may not be conclud-

ed before the end of the year. That I hear it whispered Mr Stewart Lockhart may get a junior Governorship over That it would be very interesting to every

one engaged in trade here to know why H. M. Tressury indista upon a dollar-for dollar basis for an extended note lesue. instead of the old basis of two-thirds.

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AMERICAN TROOPS" LANDING NEAR MALATE. RECEPTION OF NEWS OF SAMP SON'S VICTORY. INSURGENT POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS. APPOINTMENT OF AGUINALDO'S

> 'CABINET. (From Our Special Correspondent). U.S. Army Headquarters, CAVITE, July 19, 1898

We have just been informed that a mail closes for Hongkong to-morrow morning, 80 I hasten to give you the latest news here. Yesterday, the Japanese cruiser Na nica arrived from Hongkong with news that stirred to its highest pitch the patriotic enthusiasm of the American soldiers and sailors. It was the news of Admiral Sampson's great victory at Santiago de Cuba was out of camp when the nows first eached headquarters. On my return when I asked what had struck the camp, I was shown a copy of the China Mail of the 6th inst, containing details of the affair. To say that the enthusiasm of the Americans was intense is to describe the situation in the mildest

possible form. There was none of tha braggart, bumptious spirit which some Britishers continue to regard as an indis pansable element in the composition of the American citizen. It was a healthy patriotic feeling of satisfaction that Admiral Sampson had triumphed as completely at Santiago as Admiral Dewey did in Manila Bay, and a fervent feeling of satisfaction that the victory had been achieved without serious loss of life. The victory seems to have instilled a spurtactivity in our caup. Shakespeare's excursions and alarums are now the order of the day. We feel instinctively that something is in the air. and that the capture of Manila is now a matter of days.

We correspondents do not know for cortain what is going to happen. General Anderson is in command, and I am not aware that he has consulted any of the correspondents as to what he ought to do, how he should do it, or when and where he should make the attack; so if you hear any circumstantial tales about the future and fate of Manila, accept them cum grand salis until you hear from me. hope soon to bo in a position cable you from Manila. In my last letter informed you that the first battalion of the first, Californian Volunteers, under Lieut Conel Duboce, had gone into camp near Paradaque, three miles or the policy which will most conduce to south of Malate and in the rest of the in surgent lines. To-morrow, the remainder of the Californian Regiment proceeds to friction may undo all the good he has as | the same camping ground, under Colonel Smith. To-day, General Anderson commenced the disembarkation of the whole of ar revealed does not necessarily conflict the second expeditionary force on the with the probable plans of General Mer. Baccor shore. Details of this division have been sent you in other letters. They go Provisional Government, pending the into camp at Tambo and neighbourhood, Protectorate of the United States, need The command of the new encampment is entrusted to Brigadier-General Greene. and carry fifteen days' rations and 150 I rounds of ammunition per man (80 in waist

Major-Gonetal Morritt, the newly aphat, so far as the provinces around pointed Governor-General of the Philippine Islands, is expected in a fow days; but whether he will arrive before the attack on Manile of not I am unable to say. General Anderson and the various members of his staff have been very busy at reconnaisance. The Brigadier is also accompanied by his work, and the General impresses one with young son. Captain McCain and Llout the quiet confident manner in which he is Clark both belong to the Lith Regiment,

> but among the new arrivals I hear of a few Lasseigne and W S. Biddle, and second H. E Pollock (instructed by Mr. cases of typhoid lever and measles. Major Lieutenanta C. R Krauthoff, P. L. Miles. M'Carthy, who is in command of the W. A. Burnside, and P. H. Mullay, medical department, has been fortunate in The regimental uniform is of heavy blue ment, said Lieutenant W. Finch, R.N.R.

grettable feature of the Philippine came skirmishes in a tangled jungle. I fear there the end of the pier by the position of the abould dress; as matters are shaping at present it seems depectally as the officers and men are with men like skill and contributed towards the

issued by the robel leader :-

DON EMILIO AGUINALDO Y FAMY President of the Revolutionary Govern ment of the Philippines hild General in-Chief of the Army. In conformity with the provisions of the decree of this Government dated 23rd June last and the instructions accompanying it

order as follows :— Art. L -Appoints Sonor Don Baldomero Aguinaldo Secretary for War and Public Works, Sonor Don Leandro Ybarra Secretary of the Interior, etc., and Senor Don Marianno Trias Secretary of Finance, etc The functions connected with Foreign Affairs, Marine, and Commerce will be pro visionally attached to the Presidency pend ing the appointment of the Secretary.

Art, Il.-The Senors appointed shall assume their respective offices, taking solomn ly, on the day appointed for that purpos by the Presidency, the following onth swear by God and my honour to obey th laws and regulations in force and faithfully to discharge the duties which I have volum tarily accepted, under the populties estab hished for the same. So mote it be. eaid oath shall be taken before the Presi dent and the dignitaries he may invite to the solumn act, the swearer's right hand being placed on the gospels.

Art. III .- The Provincial and Municipa Directors and Chiefs on assuming their respective offices shall take an oath analogous to the above before the President and he Secretaries of the Government. Provincial Councillors, etc., shall take the oath before the Head of the Province. Art. IV. - Prescribes the mode of official

Art. V.—Signatures to be attached to official orders. Art. VI.—The Provincial Chiefs shall use as the emblem of their office a gold-headed staff with silver tassels. On the upper part of the head of the staff shall be engraved sun and three stars. Municipal Chiefs shall carry the same staff, but with black tassels, A sistant Cliefs shall carry a silver-headed

staff with red tassels. Provincial Councillors shall wear a triangular jewel of gold suspended from the neck by a chain of the same metal, a su and three stars being engraved on the jewel Delegates shall wear the same jewel but in silver and with a silver chain.

Art. VII.—The President shall wear collar of gold with a jewel similar to that above described and a gold whistle: Secretaries shall wear a similar collar and jewel, and Directors the same in silver. The President shall also carry a gold-

headed staff with tassels of gold. Done at Batoor, the 15th July, 1898. EMILIO AQUINALDO.

WITH THE U.S. TROOPS AT CAVITE.

THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE. (From Our Special Correspondent with the U.S. Armu.)

U.S. Army Headquarters. Cavite, July 11, 1898. Thanks to the kindness of Brigadier General Anderson and and the officers of the 14th Regular Infantry, I am, to use ar American phrase, comfortably located in the Commandant's residence inside Cavi

Arsenal, and have had an opportunity making myself acquainted with the American troops. Fortunately, the buildings in the arsenal and the houses in the town austained very elight damage on the 1st of May; bu unfortunately the insurgents were permitted to loot and destroy without restraint, with the result that the encampment at Cavite.

as it might have been. That, however, a matter which will be remodied when the troops move into Manila. It is, of course, impossible to set up comparisons between the American forces and a Continental army either in barracks or on campaign. Comparisons are invariably odious. But one accustomed to the smart, alert, trim-European soldier cannot holp being astonished at the free-and-easy drill, dress and deportment of the American soldiers now assembled in Cavite. The total force is less than 2000. Of those, 400 odd belong to the Regular Army, consisting of five companies of the 14th Regiment, under the command of Captain Murphy, an old campaigner, who saw sorvice in the Civil Wer and who has been ungaged since then in many a frontier foray upon the Indians of the wild West. One of the companies had just returned from Alaska in time to join the expeditionary force under Brigadier General Thomas M Anderson. The Brigadier is the Colonel of the Regiment. His personal staff consists of Captain Henry P. McCain, who fulfile the important duties of Acting Assistant Adjutant Congraf | Ligut, Elmer W. Clark, A.D C., and Lieut. Brice, Volunteer A.D.C.

the other officers of which are Captain

manager put forward behavior accords the best lound gave a beautiful rendering of already personal of the control and the control of the cont

The following is one of the proclamations contains all the squalor and dirt; and Oriental country. Mr Pollock suggested that the

There are two Volunteer Regiments-Volunteers, commanded by Colonel Som- question could come before the Court. mora. Colonel Smith is a lawyor from San The Chief Justice said the Registrar Francisco; Colonel Sommers a Collector | would decline to decide the question of ture of the Oregon Regiment/was determin- the terms of the judgment which dealt only by the State Legislature. The 1st with the question of the Kerangles. Civil War, and were disbanded in due gestion involved an important question of Oregon Volunteers, and does not carry the it around. traditions of the lat Regiment.

The composition of the Voluntoers differs very substantially from the Regulars. Each Volunteer regiment is composed of three battalions, containing four companies of 80 men each. These men are officered by Colonel, 1 Liout, Colonel, 3 Majors, Quartermaster ranking as 1st Lieutenant, Regimental Adjutant ranking as Captain, 3 Battalion Adjudants ranking as lat Lieutenante, and a Captain, 1st Lieutenant and 2nd Lieutenant for each Company. Before the present force left San Francisco a Bill had been introduced into Congress conferring another 1st Lieutenant as Ordnance Officer upon the Volunteer Regiments. The officers of a Regiment of Ragulara comprise 1 Colonel, 1 Lieut.-Colonel Majors, 1 Quartermaster ranking as 1st Lieutenant, one Regimental adjutant rankas 1st Lieutenant, I Captain and Licuterants for each Company of 106 men. It will thus be seen that under normal conditions the Volunteer Regiments have five more officers than the Regular Regiments. But it must be remembered that the officers of the Regular army being re- of peace, quisitioned for special duties the Regimental strength of officers is often below In the case of the 14th Regiment, for instance, some of the of ficers have been transferred to the command Volunteer Regiments, others are on the Headquarters Stuff, some are serving in Alaska and at Astoria, and others engaged on special duties, such as recruiting, with the result that some of the companies have only one officer and he a 2nd Lieutenant. Considering that the Regiment is going into action and may have to bear the brunt of the fighting, this is a very serious state of affairs. It should be stated that in the American army an officer draws the pay of the rank he is called upon to fill, so that a 2nd Lieutenant commanding a company draws pay as Captain, and a Captain in command draws the pay of a Colonel.

The regulars are armed with the new Krag Jorgensen, magazine rifle, which isthought of very highly by the officers. This rifle has a 315 in. calibre or bore, and is sighted up to 2078 yards. The weight of the rifle is 9 lb. 6 oz., and the magazine carries five cartridges. The bullet is of lead, with copper and nickel envelope, and weighs 237 grains. The weight of charge, smokeless power, almost wholly nitroglycerine and guncotton, is 34 grains, and the muzzle velocity of the bullet is 1968 feet per second. The volunteers use the Springfield rifle, a serviceable weapon, with which some high scores have been made at

not so low as that of the newer weapon. One does not require to have an extensive knowledge of matters military to notice many minor details wherein the American soldier differs from the English soldier. Lying awake on a mosquito-invaded cot,] constantly hear the following :--Halt! Who's that?

The officer of the day. 'Advance, officer of the day to be recog-

And the officer of the night advances, is duly recognized, and allowed to pass, and is not quite so comfortable for the troops t e camp relapses into silence once more. Part of each day is devoted to drill. regulars are very amart, and officers and mon alike take a knen interest in their work, I had an opportunity of seeing them skirmishing drill this afternoon, and admired the readiness with which the menresponded to the commands of their

On the whole, the health of the men i

Since the foregoing was written four transports have arrived with reinforce. monts, details of which are given in other letters. The new arrivals are dressed in light duck of a gray colour more suitable | But lo ! A champion rises, in a lar off, for tropical service. I have seen several of the officers, but at the time of writing the men had not disombarked.

BUPRIME COURT. IN AFFELLATE JURISDICTION. (Before the Full Court and Assessors.) Saturday, July 23,

THE POWAN-EWANGLES COLLISION. This was an appeal from the decision of the Chief Justice with Commanders Hastings and Handerson as assessors.

Mr J. J. Francis, Q. C. (instructed by Mr H. L. Dennys), appeared for the ap-The health of the men remains good, Bastman, Lieutenants Jas. Mitchell, A. I. pellants, the owners of the Kwangles; Hastings) appeared for the respondente. The Chief Justice, fu delivering jude securing good buildings in Cavite an cloth, but for compaigning purposes the master of the Gaelic, was appointed as hospitals, and is ably assisted by an eff. whole of the troops, regulars and volum one of the Assessors, with Inputenant Stercient staff in the care of the sick. One teers, wear an ugly dingy-brown canvas ling, of H.M.S. Bonnrentiers but the Guelie man, a regular, shot off a too the other uniform with a tight-fitting gaiter reaching having had to leave two days before the day, and there is one poor fellow suffering almost to the knee. Appearances have conclusion of the heaving of the base, the from injury of the spine and partial para. been sacrificed to utility and economy. Court was unable to obtain his advice on lyain, the result of a fall on shipboard. . The result is not pleasing to the eye; but nautical matters. Lieutenant Sterling, the I have not seen any of the new arrivals, it must be horne in mind that the men other assessor, sustained the judgment of I except the officers, but I hear that they are see not on a picnic, but now have the assessore in the Court below that physically, a fine body of men. Neither to fight over swampy country, over the Powent was to blame for the collihave I seen a British military attache. Is grown by tropical vegetation. It is un sion. It had to be determined, however, he on the fleet, or is his shance due to an furturate, however, that the clothing is if she was solely to blame or if the oversight of your overwork de Acting Go. of a solidity of texture altogether unsuit. Kwangise was partly responsible for the vernor and the War Department There able for this tropical climate. A khaki collision. He hold that the negligence was no British warship here to witness uniform, such as the British coldier invaria of the Kwanglee in not having a light at the Battle of Cavite, and therefore no ably wears on foreign service nowadays, the stern and the obscuration of the green technical report except from American preferably with knickers and pulties similar light at the end of the whart by the vessel sources. Is there to be a similar void over to those of the Field Battery of the Hong- projecting out into the fairway was partly the attack on Manila | Perhaps they can kong Volunteer Corps, would have been to blame for the collision, and dismissed inform you at the military headquarters in found infinitely more comfortable and the appeal with costs.

quite as serviceable. Should the American The Pulane Judge contended that the I fear there is going to be some friction troops be called upon to march long dis- absence of a stern light on the Kwangist with the insurgents. This would be a re- tances under a tropical sun, with coossional and the obscuration of the green light at

Disintiffs were to recover a moiety of the

Mr Pollook suggested that the question be raised before the Registrar in the first the 1st Californian Regiment, commanded instance and then if any of the parties were Colonel Smith, and the 2nd Oregon dissatisfied with the Registrar's ruling the

of Customs from Portland. The nomencla- liability, and would say he was bound by Oregon Volunteers served through the The Chief Justice said Mr Francis' sugcourse. This is, therefore, styled the 2nd principle and it would be better to have

Tuesday, 2nd August, was fixed for the hearing of the arguments.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE UNISA MAIL.

London, 21st July, 1898, THE SURRENDER OF SANTIAGO

DE CUBA. The Spanish Government denies that it authorized the surrender of Santiago de Cuba, and General Toral will be cited to give an explanation at a Court Martial. The Americans and Spaniards are frater-

nising at Santiago.

PROSPECTS OF PEACE. The correspondent of the Morning Post. at Madrid states that the Ministers have ananimously arrived at a decision in favour

THE FOREIGN OFFICE.

The British Government has decided to appoint an additional Foreign Under-Secretary, whose duties will probably be to specially attend to African questions.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the bservutorv :—

On the 23rd at 11.55 a. The barometer remains steady and near the normal on the China coast, and low over the middle part of the China Sea and Annam. Gradients slight for S. and SE. winds on the China coast. Forecast :- SE or varging wirds. light to moderate; showery with thun er.

THE BEGGAR ON HORSEBACK.

The natives of the Pimpilingos suffered They had priestly domination mixed with military squeeze,

And when the brange dry was pressed, and juice there was no more. The Government got down and kuelt

upon 'em with its knees. While the screw press of the Priesthood was continuously applied And the Military Martinets kept prodding 'en to see

target practice, although the trajectory is they'd any kick left in 'em, but they merely went and died, And everything was merry as it possibly could be.

tmong the men of Pimpilinges rose a man And Don Bombastos Furioso Aguinaldo was his name. Who felt that all things in his land could surely be set right If only he were quietly allowed to play

So he called him men together from the plough tall and the she From the fields where the tobacco grows and where the sugar cane Is cultivated, and this host wished that they might be dead.

Ere they would lead a life of fear and blavery again." And so they went against the fost got

While their leaders were bought up and Bunt off to another shute And the ratcle of the musketry, the dying and the dead, Made, a hell on earth of Plapilingos

Island yet unue more. distant land. And his inighty war ships ride norose the fulth to face the foe. And soon his guns are playing on that blood-be-soaken strand, And honour's cause prevents as in the days

of long ago. And now the stricken Pimplingos gather And the leaders dribble slowly back from many a distant spot.

And they organize committees averywhere about the place. And walts in to give those whold been their mesters something hot: And hacked by that great moral power now waiting at the gates They cleared the field before them as

And feeling all secure at lest, held ponder-

chaff before the wind.

they are I:

About the future of the land, but no one Because among their number, Don Bombastos, stood aloof. I am the Pimpilingos, the Pimpilingos

am the constitution and should you re-Dispute my word an instant and that instant you shall die. make the laws, enforce the laws, but they are not for me. What I enact shall be the law whatever

King Stock has replaced King Log-You've charpen'd an edged tool with which you'll find it hard to play.

So he drafted out a Constitution based on bnanown loss.

Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER BRINDISL

FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS.

"ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Honoxono And KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. The Vessel brings on Cargo : -

From ZANZIBAR, &c., ex 8. 8. Puvulia, Pachumb : and Goa." Goods not cleared by the 21th Instant, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. All Damaged Packages must be left in

the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ton, days after the vessel's arrival here after which no Claims will be, recognised. H. A. RITCHIE,

Superintendent. Hongkong, July 18, 1898 GLEN' LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

THE Stoomship Glenesk having arrived. Cargo by her are here y informed that Instant. their Goods are being landed at their risk itio the Godowns of the Honokong and KOWLOON WHARP & GOLOWN Co., LIMITED at .Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

FROM MIDDLESBRO' A"D LONDON,

All Optional Goods will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 2 p. m. To-DAY. Cargo remaining un lelivered after the 27th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance bas been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 3rt August, otherwise they will not be recognised. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, July 20, 1898.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER BORNEO.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vesser are, hereby informed that their Goods are being landed placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Gonowas at Kawloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark and delivery can be obtained as 'n us, the Goods are lauded.

This Vessel Frings on Cago: From ITALY, &c., ex s. s. Sut'ej.

Optional Goods will be land there unless instructions are given to the continue before 4 p.m. To-pay. . Goods not cleared by the 28th July, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me An any case whatever. All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ton days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognised.

H. A. RITCHIE. Superintendent. Hongkong, July 22, 1898 A STEAMSHIP ERNTST SIMONS.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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Goods remaining unclaimed after Mon-DAY, the 26th Instant, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Monday, the 25th Instant, for they

will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined on Moneay, the 25th Inst., at 3 p.m. No kire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, July 17, 1808

H. Reid.

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Hongkong, July 8, 1898.

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Thoughoug, July 22, 1398

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Chingwo,
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Hongkong, July 20, 1898 UNITED STATES AND CHINA-

JAPAN STEAMSHIP LINE FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship

Indropura. Captein A. Hor-Fall, with be despatched as above on or about let September, For Freight, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, July 13, 1804.

Sailing Vessels.

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O opinin Olsen, having arrived,
will load here for the above Port and will neve quick despatch.

For Preight, apply to ARNHULD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 12, 1895.

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Roughong July 14, 1889.

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Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, TENANG AND

SINGAPORE. ATTABE S.S. Knight Templar having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remain-1258 ing on board after 2 p.m. of the 23rd

Instant, will be landed at Consignoes'

risk and expense into the Godowns of the HONGRONG AND KOWLOON-WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED. Consignues of Cargo from SINGAPORE and Penand are requested to take IMME-GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN Cap'. W. W. PAIN, will DIATE delivery of their Goods from alongside; such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at

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Agents. Hongkong, July 21, 1898. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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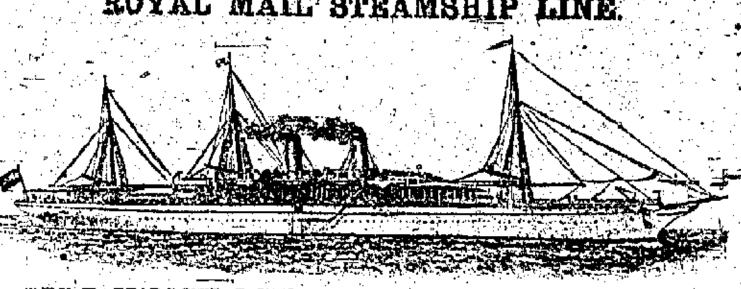
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Hongkong, July 23, 1898.

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Homewand Bound:-Manila, Wally, Tencer, June 3; Menclans, Lennoc, Mon mouthshire, 7; Formosa, 13; Antenor 21 : Preussen, 24 : Canton, Thekte, 28 Law, July 1; Condia, 5; Matacca, 12; Pyrrhus, Sachsen, Yarra, 19.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s. a. Empress of Chine luft Vancouver for Hongkong, vis

noon, the 11th July. The Imp. German Mail's. s. Prinz Heinrich, with the GERMAN MAIL of the 27th June, left Singapore on Thurs. day, the 21st July, at 5 p.m., and Tuesday, the 26th July. From Property

usual ports of Call, on Monday Jafter-

Bleatmers Expected.

The E. A. Co. s.s Malage, from Copenbagen, Hamburg and Antwerp, may be considered due here on or about the 24th July.

The H. A. L. str. Aradia, from Ham-

burg, left Singapore for this port on - the 20th July, and may be expected match here on or about the 26th July. The s. s. Cornarthenshire, from Middlesbro' and London, left Singapore on the 19th July, and is due here or or about the 26th July.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Yamushiro Mara, 1et Nagasaki, for this port of 22nd July and is expected to arrive here on the 26thJuly. The s. s. Eba i will leave Singapore for

here (from London) on Thursday, 21st The s. s. Remus, from New York, left Singapore on the 21st July, and is due here on or about the 28th July. N. X Kas. s. Kindin left Kobe,

via Möji, for this port on the, 22nd July, and is expected to arrive here on the 29th July. The N. P. Co.'s a. a. Oldminia has arrived. at Yokohama, from Tacoma, and sails

on the 21st July, for Kobe and Hong-G. L. s. s. Letimbro left, Bombay for this port on the 19th July, and may be expected here on or about the

St. Jerone, from Middlesbro', Retterdam and Antwerp, passed the Canal on the 12th July, and is exnected_to_arrive_at_Singapore_on -or about the 3rd August.

The N. P. Co.'s s.'s. Columbia sailed from Tacona, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 20th Julys

-butest, A lvices. "The C. M. Co.'s str. Dopack, from Glas gow and Liverpool, left Singapore, for this port on the afternoon of 2nd July, and may be expected here on or

The s. s. Inderwelli left Singapore on the 23rd July for this port. CHURCH SERVICES.

about the 28th July,

CATHEDRAL - THISUNDAY AFTER TRINITY. JULY 24TH.

Matins: Responses, Ferial; Vanite, No. vello : Psalms, Camidgo, Kinkee and Travers; Te Deum, Woodward, Smart and Turle ; Bonedictus, Barnby in F ; Anthem. 'Lord of all nower and might, Mason; Hymn, 7: Offertory Hymn, 175.

Evenuing :- Eve of St. James' Day .-Responses, Tallis; Psalms, Fitzherbort, Nares, Rimbault and Hindle Magnificat & Nuno Dimittis, Bruce Steame in F; Hymns, 418, 217 and

UNION CHURCH, -SUNDAY, JULY 24. 11 a.m.: - Hymna, 210, 386 and 407 (Tune 498); Psalm, 95, Jones | Anthem, 46, C. C. Hymnah 'O Worship the Lordy' Voluntaries, Spohr and Wely, 9 p.m.: - Hymns, 69, 376, 368, 343 and -494; Voluntaries, Novello and Forbes,

At the Magistracy to-day, Mr Van Epps. pharged his cook with leaving his omploy without giving due notice, and else with using abusive and insulting language, and the medial was fined \$20.

dust before the departure of the Douglas steamer Hailan for Amoy yesterday, a quarrol took place amongst a number of the Chinese passengers for a particular berth on the ship, and one of the Chinese produced a knife and seriously wounded three of his fellow-passengers. He then stabbed hunself with the knife. Ho was ultimately secured, and the Police removed the four wounded men to the Government Civil Hospital.

Eccess Bernheim, the manager of Messrs Ullmann and Co., and a clerk in the employ of the firm, were charged at the Magistracy to-day, at the instance of Detective Inspector Moffatt, with selling on the premises of the firm at 74 Queen's Road Central, an indecent exhibition. On information received, Inspector Moffatt-sent a European to the shop and obtained thereby on 21st July one of the articles, for which 810 were usid. On the following day, a Chinaman bought another one for \$8 The manager put forward the lame excuse that he did not know such sale was prohibited, Commander Hastings fined him \$100, with the alternative of three months' imprison-

YESTERDAY, a coolie named Li Yau, engag- | WE give to night the concluding portion of near Kennedy's stables, Causeway Bay, was Foreman, F.R.G.S., which appears in he had undermined.

YESTERDAY, an excise officer swore an information against a Chinaman for having s large quantity of prepared opium without certificate. The officer went to the house of the Chinaman and found only two mace of opium for which the owner had a cere tificate. The excise officer, enraged at heing doped, charged the Chinaman at the Magistracy to day with selling the opium, but could not produce his informer. Commander Hastings imposed a fine of \$25 for bringing a false charge.

A NUMBER of ladies in the Colony having expressed a desire to see a game of water polo played, the V.R.C. has arranged an exhibition game between selected teams of members, to take place at their enclosure may be expected here on or about on Thursday next. It has been arranged to engage a steam launch for the accommodation of the ladies, who are cordially invited to attend. Non-members of the V.R.C. will be charged 50 cents for admission and boys 25 cents. It is probable also that a team race will be arranged to take place immediately prior to the polo-

> THREE unruly stokers of H.M.S. Humber, named Thomas Wyatt, John Forroster and Frederick Cook, appeared tefore Commander Hastings, at the Magistracy to-day, charged with unlawfully behaving in a disorderly manner in the public street and damaging a ricksha to the extent of 89 Evidence was given that last night about eleven o'clock the three defendants engaged rickshas and drove to a wharf at Praya East. The second defendant refused to pay his fare, and the three men then set upon the coolie and chancel him along the street. They returned to the wharf and lifting up the ricksha banged it down on the street, breaking the axle and the hood. A Chinese constable who interfered was assaulted. The constable blew his whistle, and one of the defendants snatched it away and knocked off the constable's hat. The three defendants threw down the constable, and were only prevented from continuing the That the developments proceed slowly, assault by the intervention of Mr.H. W. Wolfe, who came to assist the constable. Sergeant Scott then came up and took the blue jackets to the Station. Commander Hastings fined the first and second prisoners \$5 each, with the option of fourteen days' hard labour, for the assault upon the coolie, and the third prisoner_\$3, or, fourteen days' imprisonment. They were each ordered to pay the coolie \$2 compensation. For the assault upon the Police, the first Drigoner was fined \$7, or twenty eight days' imprisonment, with hard labour; the

second. 25, or fourteen days; and the third

\$3 or fourteen days, and each of the pri-

soners was ordered to pay \$1 compensation

to the constable.

On the occasion of the anniversary of the battle of Salamanca (22nd July, 1812), the band and drummers of the King's Own Regiment give a military tattoo on the Hongkong Cricket Club Ground. A portion of the ground was reserved for the tattoo by a body of military police, and seats were provided for a number of the spectators. The band of the regiment played an excellent programme of music. At halfpast nine o'clock, the tattoo commenced in a slight shower of rain. A body of lamps bearers, headed by the drum and fife band, marched from the Parado Ground, and the men moved into appointed positions several paces apart round the received apace, making a very effective display. The massed bands then assembled in front of the position occupied by H. E. Major-General Black and party, where the buglers sounded the ' First Post.' To an English march 'English Songs' the band marched, accompanied by lamp-bearers, and an exceedingly pretty manceuvre was the advance of the band through the extended lines of the drums and fifes. A similar movement was nade by drums and fifes in the Irish March Tara's Halls.' Scotland had another grievance in the attempt of the hand to swamp the Scottish representatives with the Welsh March. Men of Harlech, but our three pipers refused to be vanquished and cut short the glory of the Men of Harlech with the shrill shrick of Piper Findlater's melody on Dargai Heights, 'Cock o' the North.' They appeared quite determined to impress the tune upon the spectators, and finished up with some vigorous playing in front of our Scottish General. The March of the Men of Harleoh then proceeded, and the combined bands gave a beautiful rendering of

ed clearing away some earth from the hill the article on the Philippines, by Mr John. crushed to death by a huge boulder which | the Contemporary Review of July 1st-from advance proofs supplied to us by the

> Mr Ng Kwai Shang, of the Magistracy, has received a letter from Mrs Wodehouse thanking the staff of the Magistracy for the gold brooch she had received as a souvenir of the many years she had spent in Hongkong. Mrs Wodehouse states that Mr Wodehouse's health has been very sutisfactory since his arrival home.

On Monday a Water Polo League competition will take place at the V. R. C., between the V. R. C. No. 1 team and the V. R. C. No. 2 team. Teams :- No. 1.-Goal, Henderson; Backs, Carvalho and Meek; Half-back, A. E. Alves; Forwards,

a MOST outrageous pasnuit was committed. upon a Chinaman on Thursday night on board a junk in the harbour. In company with a foki, at 10 p.m. on July 21, the complainant went out for a walk. The two men then went on board a sampan to row ever to a junk bolonging to a friend. By mistake the complainant boarded another junk, and was immediately seized by two men, besten, dragged to the storn where he was bound with a rope, his hands behind his back, and his head dragged back and made fast to the rudder head. A Chinese policeman who boarded the vessel next morning at half-past four o'clock found the man tied up in this manner. The two men on the boat were arrested and charged at the Magistracy to-day with assault. They explained they thought the man was robber. The two prisoners were sentenced to forty-two days' imprisonment, with hard

'FRAGRANT WATERS' MÜRMUR That the position at the Philippines (or rather, at Manila, for the Philippine Islands is a big country) seems to be almost unchanged.

the Americans are making sure of their ground, and the Revolutionaries are closing in upon Manila and going on towards a Provisional Government.

That if peace be declared before the city of Manila is captured, or is surrendered, the situation will become complicated. That the great distinction between Cuba and Manila appears to me to be this, that the United States went to war to relieve Coba and America from the anarchical condition of chaos in which that island had been for years; while the descent on the Philippines was purely a warlike reprisal, in which the hitherto unsuccessful Filipinos were called in as assistants. That General Aguinaldo, while considering well to carefully mark the signs of the times, and the possibility that any undue

friction may undo all the good he has as yet succeeded in doing. That I may say, for what it is worth, the policy of the Revolutionary General so

That the organisation by Agninaldo of Provisional Government, pending the Protectorate of the United States, need not tend to anything but the maintenance of order and fair government.

hat the arrangement of these matters should not present any inauperable difficulty, so long as Aguinaldo recognises the advantages of a strong Protectorate. for two reasons-for the successful administration of the Islands, and for their

protection from outside Powers. that so far as the provinces around Manila are concerned, there oughb to be no great trouble in establishing an Ameriofficers as aids. That outside of that sphere the troubles

may arise, and it is just possible (I do not say probable) the Americans may get tired of the task. That, as British trade interests are paramount, and Great Britain has still some claims to be heard regarding a reasonable solution of the question, a joint pro

tectorate might be arranged between the United States and the Old Country, if tariffs could be satisfactorily settled. That little light has been let in on the Kowloon City Reservation since my last

reference, and the sketch map published in the Times gives no indication of the reservation That the exceedingly deliberate manner which the British Authorities proceed such matters, however, will be seen when

we consider that Mr Stewart Lockhart's

report cannot reach London much before the beginning of November, and its cor sideration at Home may not be conclud ed before the end of the year. That I hear it whispered Mr Stewart Loci hart may get a junior. Governorship over That it would be very interesting to every

one engaged in trade here to know who H. M. Treasury insists upon a dollar-for-dollar basis for an extended note issue, instead of the old basis of two-thirds. BROWNIE.

NEVER KNEW IT TO FAIL!

THE WAR.

PREPARING TO CAPTURE MANILA.

AMERICAN TROOPS" LANDING NEAR MALATE RECEPTION OF NEWS OF SAMP SON'S VICTORY.

INSURGENT POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS. APPOINTMENT OF AGUINALDO

CABINET. (From Our Special Correspondent). U.S. Army Headquarters, CAVITE, July 19, 1898.

We have just been informed that a mail

closes for Hongkong to-morrow morning, so I hasten to give you the latest news here. Yesterday, the Japanese cruiser Na nium arrived from Hougkong with news Armstrong, A. A. Alves, and Stopani that stirred to its highest pitch the patriotic (Capt.) No. 2 -Goal, Klinck; Backs, enthusiasm of the American soldiers and Percira and Yule ; Half-back, F. Lammert | sailors. It was the news of Admiral Samp-(Capt.) Forwards, Herbst, Millar and son's great victory at Santiago de Cuba. I was out of camp when the news firs reached headquarters. On my return, when I asked what had struck the camp, I was shown a carry of the China Mail ining details of the 6th inst. the affair. To say t 🖰 e enthusiasm the Americans w Atense is to describe the situation in the mildest possible, form. There was none of the braggart, bumptious spirit which Tsome Britishers continue to regard as an indis pensable element in the composition of the American citizen. It was a healthy patriotic feeling of satisfaction that Admiral Sampson had triumphed as complete ly at Santingo as Admiral Dowey did in Manila Bay, and a fervent feeling of satisfaction that the victory had been achieved without serious loss of life. The victory seems to have instilled a spurt activity in our caup. Shakespeare's oxcursions and alarunts' are now the order of the day. We feel instinct dively that something is in the air. and that the capture of Manila is now a matter of days.

We correspondents do not know for certain what is going to happen. General Anderson is the command, and I am not aware that he has consulted any of the correspondents as to what he ought to do, how he should do it, or whon and where he should make the attack aso if you hear any circumstantial tales about the future and fate of Manila, accept them cum grane salis until you hear from me. hope soon to be in a position cable you from Manila. In my last letter informed you that the first battalion of the first Californian Volunteers. under Lieut.-Colonel Duboce, had gone into camp near Paradiaque, three miles or so the policy which will most conduce to south of Malate and in the rear of the inthe well-being of his followers, will do surgent lines. To-morrow, the remain of the Californian Regiment proceeds to troops move into Manila. the same camping ground, under Colonel Smith. To-day, General Anderson commenced the discubarkation of the whole of far revealed does not necessarily conflict the second expeditionary force on the with the probable plans of General Mer. Baccor shore. Details of this division have help being astonished at the free and easy been sent you in other letters. They go into camp at Tambo and neighbourhood. The command of the new encampment is entrusted to Brigadier-General Greene These men are fully equipped for the field and carry fifteen days' rations and 150 founds of ammunition per man (80 in waint

Major-General Merritt, the newly appointed Governor-General of the Philipping Islands, is expected in a fow days; but can Protectorate, with Aguinaldo and his whether he will arrive before the attack on Mahile of not I am unable to my. General Anderson and the various members of his staff have been very busy at reconnaisance work, and the General impresses one with young oun Captain McCain and Liout. the quiet confident manuer in which he is Clark both belong to the 14th Regiment. carrying out his dispositions. The health of the mon remains good, Hastman, Lieutenants Jas. Mitchell. A. I. but among the new arrivals I hear of a few Lasseigne and W.S. Biddle, and second

M'Carthy, who is in command of the W. A. Burnside, and P. H. Mullay. physically, a fine hody of mon. Neither to fight over swampy country, over the Pourin was to blame for the collihave I seen a British military attache. Is grown by tropical vegetation. It is unhe on the fleet or is his chienco due to an fortunate, however, that the clothing is if she was zolely to bising or if the oversight of your overwork d Acting Go. of a solidity of texture altogether unsuit. Krangise was partly respondible for the verner and the War Department? There able for this tropical climate. A khaki collision. He held that the negligence. was not British watship here to witness uniform such as the British soldier invariant of the Kwangles in not having a light at the Battle of Cavite, and therefore no ably wears on foreign service powadays, the stern and the obscuration of the green

issued by the robel leader :-DON EMILIO AGUINALDO Y FAMILY Pro-

sident of the Revolutionary Governement of the Philippines and Generalin Cliffer of the Army. In conformity with the provisions of the

decree of this Government dated 23rd June last and the instructions accompanying it I order as follows :---Art. I. - Appoints Sonor Don Baldomer

Aguinaldo Secretary for War and Public Works, Senor Don Leandro Ybarra Secretary of the Interior, etc., and Senor Don Marianno Trias Secretary of Finance, etc. The functions connected with Foreign Affairs, Marine, and Commerce will be pro visionally attached to the Presidency pending the appointment of the Secretary.

Art. II.—The Senors appointed shall assume their respective offices, taking solemnly, on the day appointed for that purpose by the Presidency, the following oath: 1 swear by God and my honour to obey the laws and regulations in force and faithfully to discharge the duties which I have volumtarily accepted, under the penalties estab lished for the same. So mote it be.' Th said oath shall be taken before the President and the dignitaries he may invite to the solemn act, the swearer's right hand

being placed on the gospels. Art. III .- The Provincial and Municipal Directors and Chiefs on assuming their respective offices shall take an oath analogous to the above before the President and the Secretaries of the Government. Provincial Councillors, otc., shall take the oath before the Head of the Province. Art. IV. - Prescribes the mode of official

address. Art. V.-Signatures to be attached to

Art. VI.—The Provincial Chiefs shall use as the emblem of their office a gold-headed staff with silver tassels. On the upper part of the head of the staffshall be engraved sun and three stars. Municipal Chiefs shall carry the same staff, but with black tassels A sistant Clief, shall carry a silver-headed staff with red tassels.

Provincial Councillors shall wear a trian gular jewel of gold suspended from the neck by a chain of the same metal, a sur and three stars being engraved on the jewel Delegates shall wear the same jowel but in silver and with a silver chain. Art. VII.—The President shall wear-

collar of gold with a jewel similar to that above described and a gold whistle. Secretaries shall wear a similar collar and iewel, and Directors the same in silver. The President shall also carry a gold headed staff with tassels of gold.

Done at Baroor, the 15th July, 1808. EMILIO AGUINALDO.

WITH THE U.S. TROOPS AT CAVITE.

THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE. (From Our Special Correspondent with the U.S. Army.)

U.S. Army Headquarters. CAVITE, July 11, 1898. Thanks to the kindness of Brigadier

General Anderson and and the officers of the 14th Regular Infantry, I am, to use a American phrase, comfortably located in the Commandant's residence inside Cavite Arsenal, and have had an opportunity of making myself acquainted with the Ameri-

Fortunately, the buildings in the arsenal and the houses in the town sustained very slight damage on the 1st of May; but unfortunately the insurgents were permitted to loot and destroy without restraint... with the result that the encampment at Cavite is not quite so comfortable for the tropps as it might have been. That, however, is a matter which will be remedied when the

It is, of course, impossible to set ur comparisons between the American forces and a Continental army oither in barracks or on campaign. Comparisons are invariably odious. But one accustomed to the drill, dress and deportment of the American soldiers now assembled in Cavita. The total force is less than 2000. Of those, 400 odd belong to the Regular Army, consisting of five companies of the 14th Regiment, under the command of Captain Murphy, an old campaigner, who saw oorvice-in the Civil. War and who has been ongaged since then in many a frontier foray upon the Indians of the wild West. One of the companies had just returned from Alaska in time to join the expeditionary force onder Brigadier General Thomas M Anderson. The Brigadier is the Colonel of the Regiment. His personal staff consists of Captain Henry P. McCain, who fulfile the important duties of Acting Assistant Adjutant General | Licut, Eliner W. Clark, A.D C., and Lieut. Brice, Volunteer A.D.C. The Brigadier is also accompanied the other officers of which are-Captain

cases of typhoid fever and measies. Major Lieutenants C. R. Krauthoff, P. L. Miles, medical department, has been fortunate in The regimental uniform is of heavy blue technical report except from American preferably with knickers and putties similar light at the end of the wharf by the vessel

the attack on blands? Perhaps they can kong Volunteer Corps, would have been to blame for the collision, and dismissed inform you at the military headquarters in found infinitely more comfortable and the appeal with coats. Hongkong I ... Quite as sorviceable. Should the American The Pulson Judge contended that the Hongkong realist there is going to be some friction troops be called upon to march long distable absence of a stern light on the Konngist with the insurgents. This would be a restances under a tropical sun, with occasional and the obscuration of the green light at grettable feature of the Philippine cam. skirmishes in a tangled jungle, I fear there the end of the pier by the position of the paign, and I hope it will be avoided but will be a large percentage of sickness, more vessel showed want of teasonable and season matters are shaping at present it seems especially as the officers and men are with man-like skill and contributed towards the the ovening hymn, 'Ab de with me.'
God save the Queen' was reverantly played, and the Last Post afterwards counded, and in the post afterwards and in the property of freedom will be respected in the situation in such a way that their conditions of the property of freedom will be ruthlessly should played and in these days of quick. The situation is not sipe enough.

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Says:—'I have personally tried derivation politically, and by consisting of a light tend clouch hat. It is not board the Keengles to make any in their conduct they may precipitate interpretation in such a way that their objects of freedom will be ruthlessly splendid playing and in these days of quick. The situation is not sipe enough fring rifles and nodern killing appliances. In Francis applied to their Lorisbips to make a slight amendment be addition to make a slight amendment be addition to make a slight amendment be addition to the algorative of three months implement of the law, and he was fince 25.

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The following is one of the proclamations contains all the squalor and dirt, and plaintiffs were to recover a moiety of the misory and discomfort of a badly-governed damages done to the Keengles.

Oriental country. olunteers, commanded by Colonel Summers. Colonel Smith is a lawyer from San Francisco; Colonel Sommers a Collector of Customs from Portland. The nomenclature of the Oregon Regiment was determinod by the State Logislature. The 1st

Oregon Volunteers served through the Civil War, and were disbanded in due course. This is, therefore, styled the 2nd oregon Volunteers, and does not carry the traditions of the 1st Regiment. The composition of the Volunteers differs

substantially from the Regulars. Each Volunteer regiment is composed of three battalions, containing four companies of 80 men each. These mon are officered by Colonel, 1 Lieut. Colonel, 3 Majors, 1 Quartermaster ranking as lat Lieutenant, Regimental Adjutant ranking as Captain, 3 Battalion. Adjudants ranking as 1st Lieutenants, and a Captain, 1st Lieutenant and 2nd Lieutenant for each Company. Before the present force left San Francisco a Bill had been introduced into Congress conferring another 1st Lieutenant as Ordnance Officer upon the Volunteer Regiments. The officers of a Regiment of Regulars comprise 1 Colonel, 1 Lieut. Colonel, 2 Majors, 1 Quartermaster ranking as 1st Lieutenant, one Regimental adjutant ranking as 1st Lieutenaut, 1 Captain and icutenants for each Company of 100 men, It will thus be seen that under normal conditions the Volunteer Regiments have five more officers than the Regular Regiments. But it must be remembered that the officers of the Regular army being requisitioned for special duties the Regimental strength of officers is often below normal. In the case of the 14th Regiment, for instance, some of the of ficors have been transferred to the command

of Volunteer Regiments, others are the Headquarters Stuff, some are serving in Alaska and at Astoria, and others eng aged on special duties, such as recruiting, with the result that some of the companies have only one officer and he a 2nd Lieutenant. Considering that the Regiment is going into action and may have to hear the brunt of the fighting, this is a very serious state of affairs. It should be stated that in the American army an officer draws pay of the rank he is called upon to fill, so that a 2nd Lieutenant commanding a company draws pay as Captain, and a Captain in command draws the pay of a Colonel.

The regulars are armed with the new Krag Jorgensen, magazino rifle, which is thought of very highly by the officers. This rifle has a 315 in. calibre or bore, and is sighted up to 2078 yards. The weight of the rifle is 9 lb. 8 oz.; and the magazine carries five cartridges. The bullet is of lead, with copper and nickel envelope, and weighs 237 grains. The weight of charge, smokeless power, almost wholly nitroglycerine and guncotton, is 34 grains, and the muzzle velocity of the bullet is 1968 feet per second. The volunteers use the Springfield rifle, a serviceable weapon, with

target practice, although the trajectory is not so low as that of the newer weapon. One does not require to have an extensive knowledge of matters military to notice many minor details wherein the American soldier differs from the English soldier. Lying awake on a mosquito-invaded cot, I constantly hear the following :--

which some high scores have been made at

'Halt ! Who's that ?! 'The officer of the day,' Advance, officer of the day to be recog-

And the officer of the night advances, is duly recognised, and allowed to pass, and So he called him men together from the t o camp relapses into silence once more. Part of each day is devoted to drill. regulars are very smart, and officers and men alike take a keen interest in their work, I had an opportunity of seeing them at skirmishing drill this afternoon, and admired the readiness with which the men responded to the commands of their

On the whole, the health of the men is

Since the foregoing was written four transports have arrived with reinforce monts, dotails of which are given in other letters. The new arrivals are dressed in light duck of a groy colour more sultable ! of tropical service. I have seen noveral of the officers, but at the time of writing the men had not disembarked.

SUPREME COURT. IN APPELLATE JURISDICTION. (Before the Full Court and Assessors.) Saturday, July 23,

THE FOWAR-EWANGERS COLLISION. This was an appeal from the decision of

the Chief Justice with Commanders Hastinits and Henderson as assessors. Mr J. J. Francis, Q. C. (instructed ! Mr H. L. Dennys), appeared for the appellants, the owners of the Reprinter H. E Pollack (instructed by Mr. Hastings) appeared for the respondents.

The Chief Justice, in delivering judg ment, said Lioutenant W. Finch, R. N.R. securing good buildings in Cavite an cloth, but for compaigning purposes the master of the Gaelie, was appointed as hospitals, and is ably assisted by an effi- whole of the troops, regulare and volun- one of the Assessors, with Ligoutenant Stercient staff in the care of the sick. One teers, wear an ugly dingy-brown canvas ling, of H.M.S. Brannenting but the Gaelie man, a regular, shot off a too the other uniform with a tight-fitting guiter reaching having had to leave two days before the day, and there is one poor follow suffering almost to the knee. Appearances have conclusion of the heaving of the case, the from injury of the spine and partial para. been sacrificed to utility and economy. Court was unable to obtain his advice on lysis, the result of a fall on shipboard. The result is not pleasing to the eye; but nautical matters. Lieutenant Sterling, the I have not seen any of the new arrivals, it must be borne in mind that the mon other assessor, sustained the judgment of I except the officers, but I hear that they are not on a picnic, but may have the assessors in the Court below that

sources. Is there to be a similar void over to those of the Field Battery of the Hong. projecting out into the fairway was partly

Mr Pollock suggested that the guestion There are two Volunteer Regiments be raised before the Registrar in the first the 1st Californian Regiment, commanded instance and then if any of the parties were. Colonel Smith, and the 2nd Oregon dissatisfied with the Registrar's ruling the question could come liefora the Court. The Chief Justice said the Registrar

would decline to decide the question of liability, and would say he was bound by the terms of the judgment which dealt only with the question of the Kwangles. The Chief Justice said Mr Francis' suggestion involved an important question of principle and it would be better to have

Tuesday, 2nd August, was fixed for the caring of the arguments

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL.']

London, 21st July, 1808. THE SURRENDER OF SANTIAGO DE CUBA. The Spanish Government denies that it

authorized the surrender of Santiago de

Cuba, and General Toral will be cited to give an explanation at a Court Martial. The Americans and Spanisrds are fraternising at Santiago.

PROSPECTS OF PEACE.

The correspondent of the Morning Post at Madrid states that the Ministers have manimously arrived at a decision in favour

THE FOREIGN OFFICE.

The British Government has decided to appoint an additional Foreign Under-Secretary, whose duties will probably be to specially attend to African questions.

WEATHER REPORT. The following notice is issued from the

baarvutory :--On the 23rd at 11.55 a. The barometer remains steady and near the normal on the China coast, and low over the middle part of the China Sea and Annam. Gradients alight for S. and SE. winds on the China coast. Forecast :- SE or varying wirds. light to moderate; showery with thunder.

THE BEGGAR ON HORSEBACK.

The natives of the Pimpilingos suffered long and sore. They had priestly domination mixed with military squeeze. And when the brange dry was pressed, and

juice there was no more, The Government got down and knelt upon 'em with its knees. While the screw press of the Priesthood was continuously applied. And the Military Martinets kept prod-

ding 'em to see they'd any kick left in 'em, but they merely went and died. And orbrything was merry as it possibly could be. .

Among the men of Plupilingos rose a man-And Don Bombestos Furioso Aguinaldo was his name. Who felt that all things in his land could surely be set right If only he were quictly allowed to play

plough tall and the shed From the fields where the tobacco grows and where the Bugar cans is cultivated, and this host wished that they might be dead. Ere they would lead a life of fear and

slavery again. And so they went against the for, got While their leaders were bought up and

sont off to another shore And the ratcle of the mucketry, the dying and the dead, Made a hell on earth of Pimpilingon Island yet ones more. But lo | A champion rises, in a lar off, distant land.

And his mighty war ships ride across the tum to face the for And soon his guns are playing on than blood-be-soaken strand, And honour's cause preventess in the days of long ago.

And now the stricken Pimpilingon gather heart of grace, And the leaders dribble alowly back from many a distant appt; And they organize committees averywhere

about the place. And walts in to give those who'd been their unsters something hote And backed by that great moral power now waiting at the gates They cleared the field before them as

And feeling all secure at last, held ponder.

About the future of the land, but no one said his mind. Because, among their number, Don Bom-I am the Pimpilingos, the Pimpilingos

chaff before the wind.

they are I:

am the constitution and should you re-Dispute my word an instant and that in-Blant you shall dia. make the laws, enforce the laws, but fliey are not for me.

What I enact shall be the lew whatever King Stock has replaced King Log. You'd better let things he . You've sharpen'd an edged which you'll find it hard to play.

So he drefted out a Constitution based on and settled how his ministers and officers should dress He'd rolden collers for himself so that he adil outabines 2 The Ruch betameled heres who sur-And all memors seption to the miner, but then he quite larger

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruc-Lious to sell by Public Au tion. for various accounts at his Sales Rooms, Zetland

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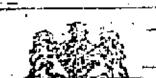
No. 9, D'Aguilar Street. Head Office, No. 42, Sakaemachi, 1 Chome,

Hongkong, February 11, 1898. To-day's Advertisements.

"GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. THE Public are informed that a pole has been erected in front of the Cable House at Deep Water Boy, a line from which through the Cable House denotes the position of the Submarine Cable, and Steam-launches and other craft are warned

against anchoring near this line. By Command, T. SERCOMBE SMITH, Acting Colonial Secretary.

1384 | Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 20 h J dy, 1893.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

I NFORMATION has been Received from the Military Authorities that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from the 1sr to the 14rm August, 1898, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

DAILY, as follows :--Fr m Stone Cutters' Island in North-Westerly and South Easterly direction

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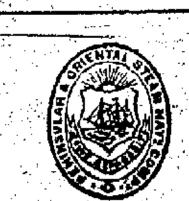
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General Memoranda. Torsday, July 26 :--

WEDNESDAY, July 27 .:---Interim Dividend of 8 % on Shares of Hangkong Ice Co., Limited, payable. Goods per Parramatia not cleared after p.m. subject to rent. Goods per Glenesk undelivered after this date subject to rent.

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DEPARTURES.

July 22.

July 23.

furian Woodside, for Nagasaki,

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SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Cauton reports & Experienced fine weather throughout The Bri ish steamer Kong Beng reports 1412 Light variable winds and fine weather

diroughout. The British pleamer Cheang Hock Kian reports: Fine, only crossing Guil of Siamy blowing fresh from N.W. The British steamer Chingen reports: Moderate fine to equator; thence squally and unsettled to China Sea; thence fine, with calme.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

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Per Chingle, at 11.90 a.m., on Monday, the 20th July. For Nagasaki, Kobe & Yokohaya. Per Omi Mans at 3.80 p.m., ou Munday,

the 28th July.

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Noon. -- Meeting of The Punjom Mining Co., Li., at the Company's Office, No. 9, Praya Central.

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21 5.40 p.m.

THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. The climate of Luzon Island is excellent. and the Spanish undisciplined troops tender age and frail physique will have little chance against the swarthy Americans and Aguinaldo's party. It is provisionally agreed that Aguinaldo shall get up a local Island of Binoudo which forms the right Republic General Aguinaldo's plan, I am informed, is to establish at Manila a congress to which deputies from all the princi- rive, which is very tortuous, one reaches a. pal Islands will be invited. I do not hesitate to prophesy that, unless under European or Apperican centrol, the scheme | beautifully picturesque, quaint and interwill end in complete failure. At first, no doubt, the Islanders will welcome cooperate in any arrangement which will at Nagtajan, the Governor General's châlet rid them of monastic oppression. The Philippine Islands, however, would In ourly morning the Pasig presents a not remain one year a peacaful united lively scene with the hundreds of cauces Archipolago under an independent nutive skidding rapidly down stream laden with government. It is an utter impossibility. There is such racial antipathy that the Visayas would not, in this generation, submit to what they would always consider a Tagalog Republic, and the Tagalogs having procured the overthrow of the Spaniards would naturally resent a preponderance of Visaya influence. Families there are very closely united, but as a people they have | encircle the city were, no doubt, a formidlittle idea of union. The rivalry for pres-Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving | tige at the present day between one village and another on the same coast is sufficient themselves who have indeed frequently to prove the tendency to disintegrate. The native likes to localize, to bring everything he requires, or aspires to, within his own | the ordnance mounted on the walls there small circle. If his ambition were to be a leader of men he would be content to be a are going to the useless trouble of putting king in his own town. Natives' ideas are the urawbridges in order and flooding the not expansive and far-reaching. Then thequestion arises, who would be the electors?

> cliques of landowners. If the native republic did succeed would not be strong enough to protect itself against foreign aggression. The Islands kind and the bombardment of the Spanare a splendid group, well worth picking a quarrel and spending a few millions sterling to annex them. I entertain the firm conviction that an unprotected united republic would last only until the novelty of the situation had worn off. Then I they did the rest could be as well accomthink every principal island would, after the other, declare its independence. Finally there would be complete chaos, and before that took root America, or some European nation would probably have interfered. I cannot doubt that General Aguinaldo is quite alive to these facts; hold out, then the co-operation of the rebels nevertheless. I admire his astuteness in will be invaluable in the final assault. entering on any plan which, by hook or by crook, will expel the friers. If the

would never return.

The masses are decidedly too ignorant to

be capable of voting intelligently. The

A Protectorate under a strong nation is just as necessary to ensure good admini- able to hold together those bonds originally stration in the Islands as to protect them example foreign attack. Either Great Bri- ligent administration has not followed in tein or America would be equally welcome the wake to promote the happiness and wellto the Islanders if they had not the vanity to think they could govern themselves. rule have been religious despotism and Unless America decided to start on a brand greed. Liberty to till the land and take new policy it would hardly sult her, I conjecture, to accept the mission of a protector- has only been wrung out of the Spaniards ate so distant from her oblef interests. England having ample resources so pour at hand would probably find it a less irksome instincts of the people never did succord task. For the reasons given above the anywhere. The natural result is reaction, control would have to he a very direct one. I would go so for as to suggest that the fer nothing at the hands withe Mother government should be styled The Philippine Country. It somms almost moredible that Protectomite. There might be a Chamber of Deputies, with a native president. The to look back and weigh the consequences of Protector and his six advisors should stategraft should have been so blind to the be American or English. The func-precedent should have taught him how tions of Ministers should be vested in realisable was the theme of Cuba libre. But the Advisors, and those of President (of a stubborn pride and a failure to act opporrepublic) in the Protector. In any case the glory: Unfortunately this very glory has finances could not be comfided to a native, compalled her to pick up the gauntlet. The inducement to finance himself would thrown down by the United States. be too great. All races should be rupre Spanishes are so constantly chewing the sented in the Chamber by men of their oud of their past wictories ever patting own class, otherwise there would be wire each other on the back over the deeds o pulling by the half castes to escure a mmote heroes that they fail to see

the 25th July.

D.C.L., K.R.S., F.C.S., &c., the greatest lalands. Companies would probably take would have the courage to return to spent op the contracts on 35 years, working contracts on 35 years, with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years, working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years, working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years, working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years, working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years, working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years, working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and 35 years working contracts of expose her fallends with no prospect caseins and on Treasury account, and bridge outstruction has pally gone forth to sacrifice its all for tion on contract to be paid for by tell continual pride and letters of gold in the cossions. The Port of Hollo strould be in annels of its country.

Proved, the Custom Houses abolished. Josep Ponesian.

there is the Island of Corregidor which, i fortified and equipped with modern armament, would command the entrance to the bay. Six miles S.E. of Manila City there is a little neck of land on which stand the fort and arsenal of Cavite. Cavita and the headland are now in possession of Admiral Dowey's forces. An attack on the Americane by sea is of course out of the question since the annibilation of the Spanish fleet. Any body of troops moving along that strip of land which connects Cavite with the uninisted of the island could be effectually shelled from the American ships. Dowey and his party are therefore perfectly safe

pending the arrival of reinforcements.

The City of Manila is practically divided

into two parts. The official or walled City is built on the left bank of the Pasig river and the commercial city is situated on the bank of the same river. They are connectod by a well-built stone bridge a little over a mile up the river. Proceeding up the largo lake fod by numerous streams which flow down the crevices of the surrounding mountains. The banks of the Pasig are esting. For about a mile and a half from the stone bridge mentioned, they are dotand ted with charming villas, the English Club &c., surrounded by palm trees and all the luxurious grandeur of tropical vogotation. supplies for the capital. Excepting a few show and craftsmen's workrooms there is no trade in the walled city, the principal buildings being the Cathedral, many churche, the Archbishon's Palace, the University, high schools, military and civil Government offices, an ordnance dépôt and other official establishments. The Governor General's official residence was destroyed by an earthquake in 1863 and a now one is in course of construction. The walls which entirely able defence up to a century ago, but are quito uscless against modern artillery. This is fully recognised by the Spaniards discussed their demolition, but tradition and a just appreciation of their worth in case of rebellion have preserved them. Of are two pieces of modern type. According to the latest reliable advices the Spaniards surrounding mosts and throwing curth-works and sand bag defences, all of which would be very effectual against an unsupported attack of the rebels only. Across the river the quarterof Binondo (with the suburbs) convotes would be entirely controlled by stitutes the truding contro. Here are located the foreign and other merchants' offices and warehouses and the whole trade of Manila is transacted on this side of the river. It has no military defences of any iard's stronghold might, for obvious reasons, be very well confined to the left bank of the Pasig River. This would, for military purposes, be just as effectual as a general bombardment, for surely the

fine soldiers when well led, so if after the welled nity in demolished the Openiorde et il Buain as a conquering nation has been agreat success, but the days of conques have long gone by. As a colonizing nation she Republic failed, at least monastic power has proved a great failure from the beginning, for wherever she has ceased to hold her own by sheer force of arms no merited gratitude of a prosperons people has been created by the sword. Where military desnotism has opened the way, generous intelbeing of the subjected races. The two great factors in the decline of the Spanish the produce thereof, to journey from place to place, to call the wild fruits of Nature

impliands would never attempt to hold out

after their walled city had been levelled. If

plished after the landing on the city 10 ur.

and thus the principal trading int r sts

do not consider the rebels concentrated

amund Manda sufficiently strong or well

enough organized to effectually starve the

Spiniards into surrender. The natives are

(mostly foreign) would not be sacrificed.

Repressive measures contrary to the spirit of the times and repugnant to the revolution and social upheavel by force. The most loyal colony is that which yearns statesmen of the calibre of the late Cant VAN del Castillo, himself a historian, accustomed tunely have left Spain with only traditional monopoly.

The total population of the Islands now tottering with decrepitude, can no amounts to about six millions. The chief jonger enter the lists and break lance with products are Homp, Sugar, Leaf Tobacco | more virile computitor. Spaniards and Cigars. The articles of minor im cannot tolerate being told the bare portance for export are choice Hardwoods, distanteful truth. If the ministers who, Gum ato. The Istanda are extremely clate the comparative forlarguess of their be found in the tropics I estimate that were to depy the popular romance that barely one-fourth of the tillable land is now what Spain has done she can do again, the under cultivation. There is at present first spark of revolution would be kindled. only one railway of 120 miles. A number Undoubtedly not a few of them go Big Foward FrankLand, H.C.B., only one relies would have to be constructed in abroad and read, mark and learn to their Luzon, Papey, Negros, Cobused Mindeney individual advantage, but who of them D.C.L., F.R.S., F.C.S., &c., the greatest Islands: Companies would probably take would have the courage to return to Spain

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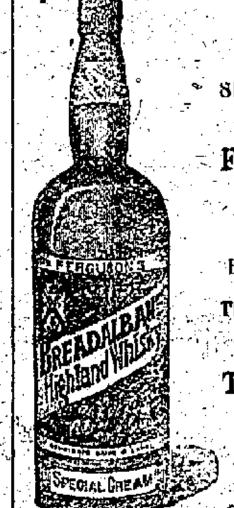
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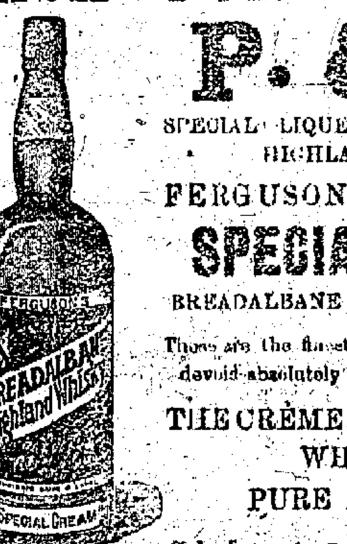
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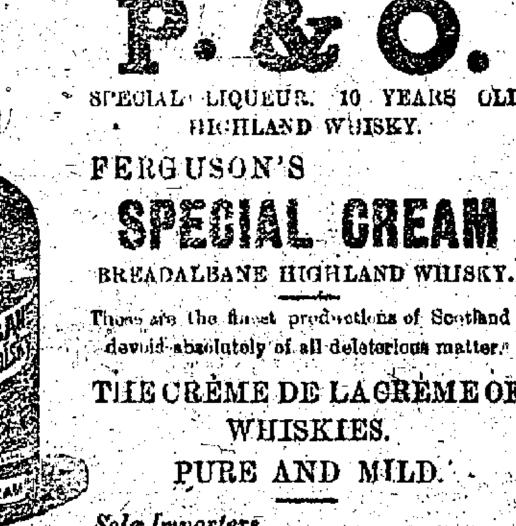
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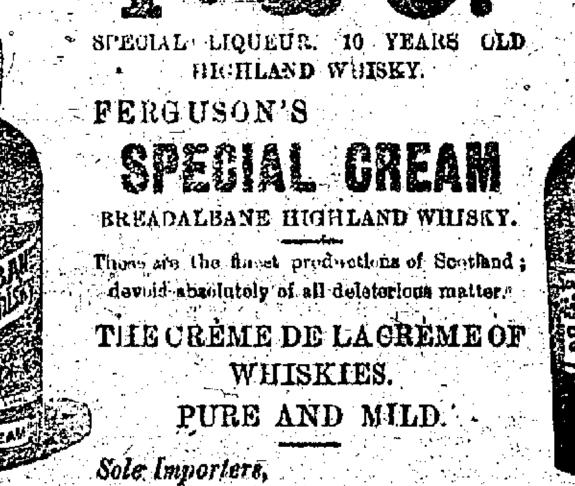
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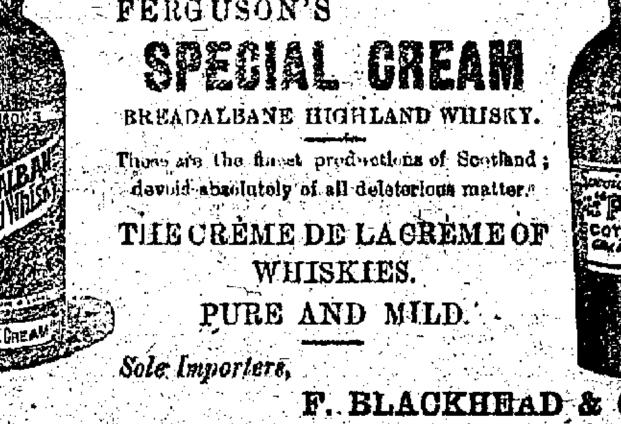
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